

Clarification to Questions Submitted

**City of Santa Clara
Water and Sewer Utilities Department**

Response Number: TWO

RFP NAME: Sanitary Sewer Siphon Assessment

Date: March 6, 2015

TO ALL THE PROPOSERS:

Following is a list of questions the City received for the above mentioned RFP. In this document, City is providing responses to all submitted questions. Furthermore, this response document is being routed to all companies that attended the meeting. The following clarifications to submitted questions are as follows:

Question 1:

You have requested that single barrel siphons be inspected with sonar, however profiling sonar heads have a size constraint of pipe ID, because they require a minimum of 6" of space from the sonar head itself. The sonar head is approximately 2.5" in diameter, so good data begins with a 10" or 12" pipe, but the smallest possible pipe to get data at all is 8" ID. I believe that 6" would be sufficient to utilize CCTV to determine if it is clean or needs cleaning.

Response:

Proposer can either use sonar without bypass or CCTV with bypass for the one 6" Siphon to be determined by the Project Manager at the time of work.

Question 2:

Why the triple and double barrels do not require sonar.

Response:

Sonar is not a requirement if bypass is allowed per written permission of the project manager.

Question 3:

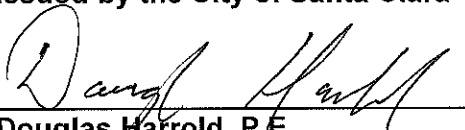
Are we allowed to include a clarification with the RFP? I cannot respond with the assumption that I will provide sonar of 6" ID pipes.

Response:

In the proposal response Under Chapter 7 – Proposal Exceptions, the proposer can address any exceptions or requested changes that the Proposer has to the City's RFP conditions.

Proposers shall acknowledge receipt of this clarification document by e-mail to dharrold@santaclaraca.gov and smehta@SantaClaraCA.gov .

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